

PLEASE EXPEDITE IN GAU 1808  
AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Edwin Wegman, et al.  
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This is in response to the August 26, 1996 Advisory Action (Paper No. 8), and the May 29, 1996 Office Action, Final (Paper No. 5). The six month term for response will expire on November 29, 1996.

Please amend:

IN THE CLAIMS:

1 1. (Amended) A method of reducing for cosmetic  
2 purposes the amount of adipose tissue at selected locations  
3 in the body which comprises introducing into said tissue  
4 effective amounts of collagenase or collagenase plus another  
5 proteinase, said adipose tissue comprising connective tissue  
6 and fat, said collagenase digesting said connective tissue,  
7 and the body metabolizing fat released from said adipose  
8 tissue whereby the amount of adipose tissue at said selected  
9 locations is reduced for cosmetic purposes.